

## **MINUTES**

### **MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

#### **COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

**Call to Order:** Vice Chair Frank Garner, on March 27, 2017 at 3:15 PM, in Room 455  
Capitol

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Rep. Steve Lavin, Chair (R)  
Rep. Frank Garner, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. George G. Kipp III, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Dave Fern (D)  
Rep. Bruce Grubbs (R)  
Rep. Jim Hamilton (D)  
Rep. Denley M. Loge (R)  
Rep. Wendy McKamey (R)  
Rep. Ray L. Shaw (R)  
Rep. Kathy Swanson (D)  
Rep. Jeremy Trebas (R)

**Members Excused:**

Rep. Bridget Smith (D)  
Rep. Alan Doane (R)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Abigail Konen, Committee Secretary  
Jason Mohr, Legislative Branch

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:**

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 613, 3/24/2017  
Executive Action on: HB 613; HB 621; HB 627; HB 630

**HEARING ON HB 613****Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

00:01:10 Rep. Steve Lavin (R), HD 8, Revise 24/7 Sobriety program.  
00:02:05 Rep. Smith joined the meeting

**Proponents' Testimony:** None

**Opponents' Testimony:** None

**Informational Testimony:** None

**Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

00:02:57 Rep. McKamey  
00:03:54 Rep. Lavin

**Closing by Sponsor:**

00:04:06 Rep. Lavin

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 613**

00:04:44 Rep. Lavin resumed the chair.

00:04:45 **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner moved that **HB 613 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:04:51 Chair Lavin

00:04:59 **Substitute Motion/Vote:** Vice Chair Garner made a substitute motion that **HB 613 BE TABLED.** Substitute Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Doane voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 621**

00:05:41 **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner moved that **HB 621 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:05:47 Chair Lavin  
00:06:04 Rep. McKamey  
00:06:38 Chair Lavin  
00:06:47 Jason Mohr, Legislative Services Division (LSD)  
00:07:11 Rep. Hamilton  
00:07:42 Jason Mohr, LSD  
00:08:03 Rep. McKamey  
00:08:26 Rep. Fern  
00:08:36 Chair Lavin  
00:08:50 Rep. Fern  
00:09:18 Chair Lavin  
00:09:28 Rep. Loge  
00:09:44 Chair Lavin

00:10:20 **Vote:** Motion carried 8-5 by roll call vote with Rep. Doane, Rep. Grubbs, Chair Lavin, Rep. McKamey and Rep. Trebas voting no. Rep. Doane voted by proxy.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 627**

00:11:15 Rep. Doane joined the meeting

00:11:16 **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner moved that **HB 627 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:11:29 Vice Chair Garner

00:12:15 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-1 by voice vote with Rep. Doane voting no.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 630**

00:12:41 **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner moved that **HB 630 DO PASS.**

**Discussion:**

00:12:48 Chair Lavin

00:12:59 **Motion:** Vice Chair Kipp III moved that **HB 630 BE AMENDED.**

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**Discussion:**

00:13:33 Vice Chair Kipp III

00:14:31 Rep. Trebas

00:14:36 Vice Chair Kipp III

00:14:56 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:15:08 **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner moved that **HB 630 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

**Discussion:**

00:15:25 Rep. Grubbs

00:16:01 Chair Lavin

00:16:21 Rep. Hamilton

00:16:56 Chair Lavin

00:17:47 Rep. Loge

00:18:22 Chair Lavin

00:18:44 Rep. Hamilton

00:19:07 Rep. Fern

00:19:29 Rep. McKamey

00:21:12 Chair Lavin

00:21:44 Vice Chair Kipp III

00:23:33 **Vote:** Motion failed 6-7 by roll call vote with Rep. Fern, Rep. Hamilton, Vice Chair Kipp III, Rep. B. Smith, Rep. Swanson and Rep. Trebas voting aye.

00:24:54 Chair Lavin

00:24:59     **Motion:** Vice Chair Garner made a substitute motion that **HB 630 BE TABLED AND THE VOTE REVERSED**. Motion carried.

00:25:15     Chair Lavin

00:25:34     Rep. McKamey

00:25:50     Chair Lavin

00:26:04     Rep. Fern

00:26:11     Chair Lavin

00:26:20     Jason Mohr, LSD

00:26:28     Rep. Fern

00:26:40     Chair Lavin

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 00:26:59

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Abigail Konen, Secretary

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